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*Kasia L. Kappes**Kasia L. Kappes****AMENDMENT AND REPLY***

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of January 25, 2006, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks. A three-month petition of time is submitted herewith extending the deadline for response from April 25, 2006 to July 25, 2006.

***AMENDMENTS***

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks, including arguments, begin on page 6 of this paper.